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ENP#1F [] 13062 Z [] VCA/R562-7'-,)-7++)-UP NR TWO AND FINAL TO MY SPOT REPORT
 24 [] VCA/R56#-72, DTG, 13/0217Z JUN 72. SONGBIRD TAC INFO PASEP [] INDIA
 AVN.KUS/AVIA-A/I, #NVAF MIG-21 ACFT IN REACTION TO ALLIED
 ACFT#889//, 8--3 (#3, #289Z AND #242Z, 13 JUN 72, FOUR NVAF 921 FIGHTER REGT
 MIG-21'S IN TWO SEPERATE REACTION, ANGAGED HOSTILE (ALLIED) ACFT OPERATING WEST
 OF PHUC YEN, SUCCESSFULLY DOWNING ONE HOSTILE ACFT. THE FIRST PAIR SCRAMBLED
 FROM PHUC YEN AT #289Z AND WERE VECTORED TOWARD THE HOSTILE ACFT WEST OF PHUC
 YEN. THEY SIGHTED THE HOSTILES AT #213Z, AND THE MIGS ENTERED THE ATTACK AT
 #214Z. AT #215Z ONE MIG LAUNCHED ONE MISSILE, BUT DID NOT HIT THE TARGET. THE
 MIGS BROKE AWAY AT #215Z AND WERE TOLD TO RETURN TO PHUC YEN AT #217Z. AT #217Z
 THE SECOND FLIGHT OF MIGS WERE SCRAMBLED FROM PHUC YEN AND VECTORED TOWARD
 HOSTILES WEST OF PHUC YEN. THE TWO MIGS APPEARED TO BE IN A HOLDING PATTERN
 NORTH OF PHUC YEN. THE FIRST FLIGHT OF MIGS LANDED AT PHUC YEN AT #224Z. THE
 SECOND FLIGHT OF MIGS WERE TOLD THAT THERE WERE FOUR HOSTILES TO THEIR RIGHT
 SIDE, AND ONE MIG WAS TOLRDNCD IF XFM THE MIGS FORMED UP AT #229Z AND REPORTED
 THAT THEY DID NOT ATTACK. AT #232Z THERE WERE HOSTILES TEN KMS AHEAD OF THE
 MIGS AND ONE MIG WAS AGAIN ORDERED TO ATTACK WHILE THE OTHER STAYED BACK
 BECAUSE HE WAS LOW ON FUEL. AT #233Z THE ATTACKING MIG FIRED HIS MISSILES AND HE
 REPORTED THE TARGET BURST INTO FLAMES. BOTH MIGS AT THIS TIME WERE LOW ON FUEL
 AND RETURNED TO PHUC YEN WITH HOSTILES IN PURSUIT. AT #240Z THE FIRST MIG
 LANDED AT PHUC YEN WITH 180 LITERS OF FUEL, AND THE OTHER MIG LANDED AT #242Z
 WITH 450 LITERS OF FUEL. AT #301Z THE PHUC YEN CONTROLLER CONFIRMED THAT ONE
 HOSTILE ACFT HAD BEEN SHOT DOWN. COMMENTY, COLLATERAL SOURCES (SECRET) REPORTED
 THAT ONE ALLIED F-4 WAS DOWNED AT #233Z. APPROXIMATE LOCATION 2130N/10450E.
 TATUS OF THE CREW IS UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME. XXHH 5#8 #8939 NNNH

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